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Under IC 4-22-2-23, the Natural Resources Commission intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

OVERVIEW: Amends 312 IAC 8 that governs public use of DNR properties to make several changes. Included is a definition of “public road” to conform to the definition of “public highway” in IC 9-25-2-4. New definitions would be added for “snowmobile”, “off-road vehicle”, and “vehicle”. The regulatory prohibition would be eliminated on the possession of firearms at public access sites maintained by the division of fish and wildlife. Quiet time at campsites would be extended one hour from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m. Pets would be required to be attended at all times. Vehicles could be left in DNR parking lots only while using a DNR property or adjacent public freshwater lake or navigable waterway. The receipt and pass requirements for horses would be eliminated, but the tag requirement would be retained. Questions concerning the proposed rule amendments may be directed to the following telephone number: (317) 233-3322 or e-mail address slucas@dnr.state.in.us. Statutory authority: IC 14-10-2-4; IC 14-11-2-1.